

# Glances In The Shop Windows Of Honolulu's Wide-Awake Merchants

Plans that have been in the making for months are now being carried out with a vim by the majority of the leading merchants of this city in the Christmas window dressing for the grandest of holidays. The holiday of the leading stores alone form a treat for the eyes. A large number of the local stores have put on their holiday dress as far as the show windows are concerned, but claim that they have been too busy to properly decorate the store interior, but assert that this will be done before the great day.

Among those who have their display windows in holiday dress are the following:

## Wall & Dougherty.

Wall & Dougherty, the jewelers on Bishop street, have completed one of the handsomest decorated stores in the city. Massive ferns, poinsettias and orchids have been attractively placed, principally on the tops of the wall show cases and also in the windows and on stands about the store, and the restful green of the ferns and palms offset by the dazzling brilliant red of the poinsettia in full blossom vies with the sparkle of the cut glass and silver on display. The decorations are all from the home collection of Mr. Wall, who probably has the greatest variety of fern plants in the islands. The sizes of the fern plants that are used in decorating the store are in themselves a wonder, and the fern lover will find his ideal in a peep into Wall & Dougherty's.

## Hawaiian Electric Co.

The Hawaiian Electric Co., Ltd., has a prettily decorated window, representing a park with an electric train performing over a circular scenic railway. The natural conditions of a well appointed park are present, and the whole make a very pleasing appearance. This firm is extending an invitation to the people of this city to make this coming Christmas an electrical Christmas and the novelties they have for carrying out that idea in the way of electric utensils are varied and numerous.

## Lewers & Cooke.

Lewers & Cooke are showing a couple of beautifully fixed up windows. One represents an alcove in white with sprays of autumn leaves and a generous display of cutlery and electrical appliances makes a most attractive whole. In the other window they clearly show what can be done in the line of decoration with mechanics tools. The efforts of the decorator here have been fully realized.

## The Clarion.

The Clarion, at the corner of Hotel and Fort, can always be counted on to do the proper caper in the line of window and store dressing during the holiday season. The arrangement of the combination suggestions in the Hotel street window leaves nothing to be desired. There is just enough to attract the attention and create the desire that it was the intention of the window dresser to impart. The Fort street window is equally as attractive and prettily arranged.

## Honolulu Photo Supply.

The Honolulu Photo and Supply Company is making a very "fishing" bid for the attention of those who like to go afield taking a camera with them and getting everlasting remembrances of their visits to places that are pleasing to the eye. With this firm it is certainly a case of "everything photographic," and there is a sample in the window. There is also a fine display of art frames and pictures to match.

## Henry May & Co.

Henry May & Co.'s beautiful large windows cry aloud with the heaps of good things that appeal to the window gazer to be taken home and given a place on the big spread that is sure to cause the dining table to groan a few days hence. The interior of the store is also worthy of a visit just to see what taste has been observed in the decorations, the method of displaying goods and the class of commodities that are set forth as suggestions for a feast.

## Arleigh's.

Arleigh's, on Hotel street, can easily figure as the headquarters of Kris Kringle from the display that firm is making of things that delight the hearts of the young, old and medium. There is no stint of collection from which to make a selection for any of the family from the baby to grandpa. As usual they have entered into the

spirit of the season and a trip through the store is equal to a trip through wonderland.

## McInerney Shoe Store.

The McInerney shoe store has made a display of shoes, just shoes that you wear on your feet, but the window dresser of that store has performed a feat that should go down in history. He has juggled those shoes around in such a way that with the aid of some flowers he has made them look like the birth of a butterfly. Three beautiful, distinctively Christmas windows are those of McInerney shoe store.

## Hawaiian News Co.

The Hawaiian News Company has a window of gift suggestion display which not only pleases the senses but also helps out in the way of almost speaking right out about what to send to that friend. Their display of Edison phonographs is attracting much attention.

## Coyne Furniture Co.

The Coyne Furniture Company has a display in the big windows that is enough to make a bachelor think better of it and commence to figure up on a little home of his own. Things in the line of furniture are always needed and is an ever present reminder of the giver. What is more to the point for that man you know than a Morris chair?

## Vieira Jewelry Co.

The Vieira Jewelry Company on Hotel street has on display what is termed a "silver window." It is composed of a beautiful collection of articles for the toilet, all backed in sparkling silver. Here again the window dresser's art speaks aloud. The window is just right; it is not over done.

## Benson, Smith & Co.

Benson, Smith & Co., with the limited space at their command for window dressing, have made a most beautiful and fetching show. Ivory and toilet articles are temptingly arranged, while mirrors of the hand variety cast back the Christmas spirit reflection that is seen on every face that enters the big drug store. The window on Hotel street has been arranged as a "suggestion" window, and is worthy of a look see.

## Manufacturers' Shoe Co.

People can do very well without twin baby carriages but they must have shoes, and the Manufacturers' Shoe Company is making a display in the windows of their store on Fort street that will remind one that most everybody they know wears shoes. The window dressing in this case shows what can be done even with shoes. A well-shod foot, especially on a woman, is half of the costume, and the women know it, too. If you do not know the number of shoe she wears or are afraid you might queer yourself by sending a shoe too large, just step in and purchase a shoe order. That is safe and sane.

## Home Industry Cigar Co.

A window full of cigars. That's all there is in one of the windows of this enterprising firm; but say, they make one's mouth water. And they are made right here. And they are made from tobacco that grows right here. And they are made by men who are living right here, for you can see the man making the cigars right in the next window. You know whether he smokes or not. Well, if he smokes you had better take a look at what the Home Industry Cigar Company has to offer. The store is on King street just north of Fort.

## Japanese Bazaar.

This enterprising firm is making its usual holiday display of things principally from the Orient, and a wonderful display it is. Surely a selection can be made from the thousand and one beautiful articles that are so temptingly arranged, and the store is loaded to the ceiling with equally as attractive things for gifts. This firm's big store is on Fort street and is worthy of a visit before one's Christmas list has been filled.

## Milton & Parsons.

This emporium is strictly for the feminine, and what they have to offer to the ladies of this city along the line of head covering cannot be gainsaid as the tie plus ultra. The creation of new shapes is one of the strong features of this firm's success and they are certainly getting their share of the trade of the city.

## Silva's Toggery.

Silva's toggery is making a display

that should be dear to the heart of any man who gives the least thought to his personal appearance. Though we are way out here in the middle of the Pacific the togs carried at Silva's Toggery are in that class known as up to the minute. It would be well for the ladies to have a look at the two beautiful windows, any article in which will gladden the heart of father, brother or somebody else's brother about a week from today.

## Wichman's.

The old established jewelry firm of Wichman & Co., on Fort street, is making a display that is a feast for the eyes. Cut glass and silver glisten from every point of view, and the well arranged windows have a tendency to create a desire to make somebody a gift of cut glass, a most acceptable and appreciated present. This firm's offering in the line of jewels is a wonderful store would be time well spent.

## B. F. Ehlers & Co.

The big double window of this firm has been devoted to the reproduction of a winter scene with the youth in full enjoyment of the pleasures that the children of Hawaii know nothing about. In the background is dear old Santa with his sleigh filled to the brim and, from the look on his face, he has evidently stopped for a while to enjoy the sight of the children at play. It is a splendid piece of work and credit is due the designer. Bathtub and drawn-work are the attractive features of a window belonging to the same firm. Taken as a whole Ehlers has made a beautiful display.

## Kodagraph Shop.

In addition to their usual line of photographic novelties the Kodagraph Shop is displaying many articles made up from art leather. These consist of albums, tobacco pouches, card cases, etc., most of which are manufactured on the premises.

Also, there are to be seen cocoanuts decorated with oil paintings of Hawaiian scenery, pennants, native seeds and baskets. Useful novelties fashioned from cocoanuts are also displayed.

## Jordan's.

This large emporium has two well-arranged windows filled with ribbons, evening wraps, waists and articles that can be well selected as gifts for the coming holiday. The large windows of this firm give it a splendid chance to make a display and the chance is taken advantage of. The interior of this big store is filled to overflowing with thousands of suggestions for the holidays and they wish everybody in the city to visit the store before the holiday has passed.

## Whitney & Marsh.

One of the windows of this firm is filled with large pieces of real Cluny lace from France, and the fact that it is from France gives it an added charm, as there is little prospect of getting any more of this beautiful stuff for many months to come. The placing of this very handsome material has been done with an eye to the beautiful and the window makes an attractive feature. A companion window is well arranged with silk waists and silk sweaters and other goods that are dear to the feminine heart.

## Yee Chan & Co.

This enterprising Chinese firm fully appreciates the occasion and has dressed the windows accordingly. The goods used are some that have lately arrived and consequently new. One of the firm has been in China for some months and has supplied the store with the latest from the Orient.

## Sacha's.

The winter scene arranged in one of the big windows of Sacha's new store on Hotel street could hardly be improved upon by even Old Man Winter himself if he had the job in hand. It is a well designed field of snow with Santa Claus in the center loaded with a bag of toys and surrounded by many children in the full enjoyment of the season. Of course, anybody so desiring can take any of these children home for company for their little ones. Articles in leather, scarfs, bags and fancy articles for the Christmas trade are shown in the other window. They are modish and fetching.

## Hellister Drug Co.

Two well arranged and fetching windows are credited to this firm. One of the windows shows a charming

collection of articles for the boudoir, and will make the best kind of a remembrance for many years to come. In the other window is a display of cameras that cannot help but attract those who desire to retain pictures of the many beauty spots that one meets every day in Hawaii. The arrangement of the goods is perfect.

## W. W. Dimond & Co.

This firm has sustained its reputation as a holiday window dresser. It is established the moment one takes a look at the beautifully arranged show windows. The four long windows give them a chance to make a wonderful display—and they do it. The window with dear old Santa poking his head out of a chimney in the corner is a work of art. The arrangement of the cut glass window would be hard to better by any professional window dresser from the coast. The other windows are equally as well attended to and the whole makes one of the sights of the city.

## Wall, Nichols & Co.

Santa Claus has established one of his headquarters right here and has all of his goods unpacked and ready for everybody. A look at the windows of this firm will show that much. In one of the windows there is a table set for the little folk, and it is quite an attractive feature. The window displays, though perfect, are but small samples of the thousands of things that are on display in the big store.

## E. O. Hall & Son.

The large window space at the command of this firm gives it a wonderful chance to spread itself on holiday decoration, and a glance at the beautifully arranged windows will vouch for the fact that they have not been idle. There is a window with cut glass that catches the eye from the flash. A feature of one of the windows near the entrance is called the "flash light" window and is the representation of the "ever ready" electric appliances that are bidding for favor and getting it as increased sales demonstrate. The sporting goods department is well taken care of, and on the Fort street side there is a window devoted to useful articles for the kitchen that in themselves make a wonderful display when well arranged as are these.

## M. A. Gunet & Co.

Smokers must look in the windows of this firm whether they want to or not. The two Christmas trees, hanging filled with all the necessities for the enjoyment of a quiet after-dinner smoke, appeal to all men. This is the season of the year when ladies are seen going into Gunet's cigar store, and there is the suggestion of some happy men in the background.

This Japanese firm has a well filled store of everything that would make glad the heart of anybody. There are rattan baskets, brasses, silk kimonos and hundreds of other beautiful things to be seen in this busy store. Miyake's is on Fort street just beyond the skating rink, and one will be sure to find most desirable suggestions for gifts for the holidays.

## Dharamdas & Watumull.

This firm deals almost exclusively in East India goods, showing a large supply of imported work that cannot but appeal to those who are looking for something of an extra touch—something that savors of the land of the prayer rug and the genti. The goods are most temptingly displayed in the large window of their store on Fort street under the Blaisdell.

## The Model Clothiers.

New windows and new goods give this store an incentive to make a big display and it is doing so. The

**SILVA'S TOGGERY**  
**DISPLAY TIMELY**  
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Christmas Shoppers

Maintaining its policy of handsome and effective shop-window decorations for the holiday season, Silva's Toggery is making a series of fine displays this year. And the appropriate haberdashery goods shown in the window are borne out in the well-stocked shelves and counters.

Anticipating a good trade for the holiday time Mr. Silva selected a stock of unusual merit for its gift-giving possibilities and has displayed the goods so artistically as to show them off to the best advantage.

The lines that have appealed to most buyers are neckwear, handkerchiefs, pajamas, clothing, shirts, stockings and novelties for dress wear.

Silva's line of neckwear is a revelation to the shopper who has a knowledge and appreciation of fine silks and beautiful patterns. While there is a wonderful assortment of medium-priced neckwear there is also a wealth of ties at higher prices, and anyone looking at and handling the finer grades will instantly recognize the values in them.

Silva's is the Mecca for men choosing gifts for men friends and relatives and particularly for women who know the virtue of buying gifts for men from a store which the recipients would choose to buy from themselves.

But the main thing about Silva's Toggery to the man about town—and his wife—is the feature of personal service. Mr. Silva and his corps of salesmen are not only efficient along the usual lines of knowing their stock and of being able to pass out exactly the right thing deliberately asked for, but they go further than that—they help the tired shopper to make a good choice of gifts.

deep offset to the entrance of the Model gives every chance for the window dresser to make a display that will attract attention. Like some other things that we have to have, we must all wear clothes and the display made by the Model Clothiers on Fort street is worthy of serious thought along the furnishing line for gents.

## H. Afong Co.

In the windows of this store can be seen one of the prettiest results of the window decorator's art in the city. The arrangement of the goods and the twining of the decoration all blend to make a most perfect whole. Furnishings for gents can be very prettily arranged when one knows how.

## Regal Shoe Co.

The Regal Shoe Company's many windows are tastefully arranged with footwear that shows the latest shapes and styles. This firm makes a distinction in the different varieties of shoes and the placing of the same on display at this season of the year and in the advantageous positions shows the are of window dressing. And what is more acceptable than a pair of nice shoes for a holiday gift?

## Arts and Crafts Shop.

Here is a place where art stands out at every turn and the display made for the eyes of the city is highly satisfactory. There is a complete assortment of art goods to select from and that is the only fault—that there is such a large variety that one gets bewildered with the grand array.

## Honolulu Music Co.

This firm has a very pretty display in the windows of its new store on Fort street. The stock carried by this firm is varied and large and suggests a musical gift for one's friend. This is the land of music and the Honolulu Music Company is ready to meet the demands of the season.

The following firms have some interesting things to tell you through their ads on the Star-Bulletin's "Christmas Shop" page of this issue:

## Kam's Variety Store.

So large has been the shipments received at Kam's Variety Store that it has been necessary to take additional quarters a few doors West of the permanent store located on King street Ewa of Nuuanu street. At both stores toys and novelties in abundance are to be found to the certain satisfaction of all who have Christmas shopping to do for children.

## Christmas at Yee Chan's.

This large store has departments which insure something of interest to shoppers whether they be shopping for man, woman or child. Space does not permit the enumeration of all the attractive displays. Just pay a visit before completing your shopping.

## Xmas Soda.

Pure, wholesome soda-water from the Consolidated Soda-Water Works should help to lend that festive spirit to the Christmas dinner table.

## Candy for Xmas.

Chambers' Drug Co. announce the receipt of a large shipment of Lehnhardt's celebrated candies, especially suited to the holiday trade.

## Cigars For Men.

If they are good ones, will make that Christmas feast seem more complete. The Honolulu Tobacco Co. offers a wide range of fine tobaccos and cigars suitable for this occasion.

## Curios For Xmas Gifts.

What could be more appreciated than something entirely unique, such as one of the many little trinkets that are shown at the Island Curio Company's large store. Drop in and look around.

## A Christmas Present for the Home.

A Christmas present for the home is a present to all and something that will give a lasting pleasure. Make one of your presents to your wife something she can use every day and think of the giver. The City Mercantile Co. has numerous things that will serve the double purpose of a present and a useful addition to the household.

## The Gift Unique.

You could purchase nothing that would carry with it more individuality than something from the rare collection of handsome antiques at Fong's Inn & Co.'s large shop on Nuuanu street. There are scores of interesting things that would attract you.

## Men's Wear For Christmas.

Almost everything that you may purchase in the way of wearing apparel will be an acceptable gift—provided it comes from a good store. H. Afong & Co. have a fine assortment of men's furnishings especially suitable for presents.

## A Koa Wood Xmas.

A present made of the beautiful koa wood will be a pleasing and lasting gift. The Hawaii Koa Furniture Co. makes things to your order as well as carry a comprehensive stock of ready-made articles which would do credit to any home.

## The Bell Clothing Co.'s Display.

Is principally of things for men. Suggestions are to be found in a happy profusion. Everything from head to toe can be had at prices which will be a pleasant surprise.

## Xmas Dry Goods, Novelties, Etc.

Your every wish can be supplied at the Honolulu Dry Goods Co.'s store. They have attractive articles for men, women and children. As for the children there is a collection of toys, dolls, etc., that would make any child happy just to see them. Bring the children down.

The Honolulu Jewelry and Souvenir Store is one of wide range in its line. Here, without great cost, you will be able to find something that will serve as an appreciated jewelry for anyone.

The store of M. R. Counter offers a varied selection of Hawaiian souvenir jewelry as well as a ready stock of regular jewelry to choose "that gift" from. You are invited to drop in and inspect things, without any obligation to buy.

The police are puzzled over the finding of a suitcase containing a man's clothing and a package of letters written in German found in a clump of bushes on Goat Island, a short distance above the American falls, at Nisazara.

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Odd Fellows' Building

Fort Street

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